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Sunday School Lesson

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Lesson for March 16

THE PARABLES OF THE KINGDOM

LESSON TEXT—Matthew 13:24-53.
GOLDEN TEXT—The kingdom of God is not meat and drink, but righteousness and peace, and joy in the Holy Ghost.
PRIMARY TOPIC—The Whole World for Jesus.
JUNIOR TOPIC—The World for Christ.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—What Our Religion Means to Us.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—What Christianity Means to the World.

The things set forth in these parables only apply to the church in the measure that they constitute that body by virtue of its being formed within this period. It should be observed that they set forth the "mysteries" of the kingdom.

I. The Wheat and Tares (vv. 24-30 cf. 36-43).

1. The sowers. The power of the good seed is the Son of Man (v. 37), and the sower of the tares is the devil (v. 39).

2. The growing crops (v. 26).

There is a striking resemblance in the growing crops. The chief peril of the devil is that he transforms himself into an angel of light (II Cor. 11:14, 15).

3. The harvests (v. 30).

There comes a time when the fruit of the crop shall be gathered. The separation is made by the angels under the direction of the Son of Man. For the tares there is a furnace of fire. For the wheat there is the Lord's garner.

II. The Mustard Seed (vv. 31, 32).

1. Its unimportant beginning (v. 1).

It begins as the least of all seeds. Not only was Christ, the King, of humble parentage, but His disciples were unlettered fishermen. Likewise, through the centuries, not many wise and not many noble have been called.

2. Its vigorous growth (v. 32).

Though small in its inception, the work inaugurated by Christ has become mighty in power.

3. Its lodging capacity (v. 32).

The birds which find lodgment in the tree do not represent the children of men who find safety and salvation in the church, but the predatory beings who have found shelter in the church, though they are no part of it.

III. The Leavened Meal (v. 33).

1. The meal in Scripture means something nutritious and wholesome.

It was used in one of the sweet savour offerings which typified Christ (Lev. 2:1-3 R. V.).

2. The woman.

The woman is the administrator of the home. Her responsibility is to take the bread provided by the head of the home and prepare and distribute it to the children. It means then that the woman, the administrator, has introduced false doctrine and thus corrupted the children's bread.

3. The leaven.

In Scripture, leaven is invariably a type of evil (Ex. 12:15; Matt. 16:6, 12; I Cor. 5:6-8; Gal. 5:7-9, 9). It means that in this age the truth of God would be corrupted by worldliness and unbelief.

IV. The Hid Treasure (v. 44).

1. The field (cf. v. 38). Christ's own interpretation makes this the world.

2. The treasure. The treasure means Israel (Ps. 135:4, Deut. 7:6-8).

3. The purchaser. No one but the Son of God had sufficient resources to buy the world (John 3:16).

4. The purchase price. This was the precious blood of Jesus Christ, God's beloved Son (I Pet. 1:13, 19).

V. The Merchantman Seeking Pearls (vv. 45, 46).

1. The merchantman is Christ. The Son of Man has come to seek and save that which was lost (Luke 19:10).

2. The purchase price. Christ impoverished Himself (Phil. 2:6ff) to purchase the one pearl of great price (Eph. 5:25).

3. The pearl of great price. This is the church (Col. 1:18).

VI. The Dragnet (vv. 47-50).

1. The sea. The sea in Scripture denotes peoples or multitudes (Dan. 7:3; Rev. 17:15).

2. The dragnet. The dragnet cast into the sea means the sowing of the world by the Son of Man.

3. The dragnet drawn to the shore. When full means that when God's purpose in the present age is full, account will be taken of the results.

4. The separation made by the angels. This will take place at the end of the age.

5. The destiny of the bad fish. The angels shall never the wicked from among the just, and shall cast them into the furnace of fire where there shall be wailing and gnashing of teeth.

The Bravest Men

Our bravest men are often those of whom the world hears the least. Life to them is a constant struggle. They test their obstacles every day and face them in silence.—Presbyterian Record.

When You Act, Right

When you are in the right stand for it, no matter if the heavens fall; if you lose every friend you have, and walk alone, you will be better.—D. L. Moody.

Job Work A Specialty

VERA HAPPENINGS

Mrs. Estelle Coleman Marsh, wife of Mr. Leslie Marsh, died Friday of influenza. She was the daughter of Mr. Thomas Coleman. Funeral services were held Sunday, being conducted by her pastor, Rev. J. J. Clarke. Interment at Mt. Comfort.

Mr. George Robertson is suffering with a broken rib.

Mr. Richard Anderson was severely kicked by a horse last Saturday.

Mrs. G. E. Lefew was a Sunday visitor at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. T. Childress.

Arnold Childress visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Childress, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie App died suddenly at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Jones, in Richmond Sunday morning. Mrs. App had many friends in Appomattox who will be grieved to hear of her death. She is survived by two sisters, Mrs. H. W. Kinney and Mrs. Charlotte Menefee of Vera, one brother, S. C. Stevens, of Colorado, four daughters, Mrs. T. J. King, Miss Mamie, of Lynchburg, Mrs. Jno. Davis, of Charlottesville, Mrs. Leonard Jones, of Richmond. Two sons, C. J. App, Jr., of Lynchburg, and Leo App of Washington. There are also several grandchildren. Funeral services will be held in Lynchburg, her old home, Tuesday.

There is an epidemic of measles here. Liberty Chapel school closed until the 14th.

Farmers are busy plowing and burning plant beds.

During these busy days take time for a little rest each day. As you rest, read your Bible. Read Daniel 12.4 and see if you can discern that this prophecy is rapidly being fulfilled.

FOREST VIEW

The weather is so changeable—everybody keeps such colds. There is a lot of sickness in the community.

Mr. R. W. Martin is somewhat better after a spell. Mrs. Martin is not so well at this writing.

Mr. T. H. Ford has gotten over his spell and is out again, but Mrs. Ford was not so well Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Marshall and baby spent last Saturday night and Sunday at the home of her father, Jim Caldwell.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cocke, of Charlotte, spent last Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Marshall. Mrs. Marshall and Mrs. Cocks visited Mrs. T. H. Ford in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Sims and two children, Othis and Ethel, of Lynchburg, spent last Friday night in the home of R. W. Martin.

Our sympathy goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Wooten who have moved to the S. J. Lee place, in the loss of their little child last week with pneumonia.

We are glad the little child of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reynolds is better, of pneumonia and was able to be brought to the home of its grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rud last Sunday.

We are sorry to hear of the sickness of Mr. H. B. Marshall. Hope, he will soon be out.

Mr and Mrs. J. B. Marshall were recent Sunday dinner guests of N. D. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Elliott Marshall, their children and Lucile Marshall were visitors in the home in the afternoon of the same Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jordan and children, of Pennsylvania, have moved to her parents' Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ford. We are glad to welcome them after missing them for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pankey of Pamplin, visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Ford, last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Martin spent last Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Wooldridge.

Miss Olive Lewis spent last week end with home people.

Mrs. Hurley Trent and two children visited Mrs. Howerton last Sunday p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lee spent last Sunday in the home of R. W. Martin.

Everybody was glad to see the good rain last week which was much needed.

We are glad to see the road force making some improvement in our roads, widening, etc.

We are glad to note, Miss Anne Martin, who has been very ill at her home in Petersburg, is much better. She had herd spell of flu and it affected her heart.

ROCKS NEWS

Mr. Herman and Miss Rachel Marsh, of Lynchburg, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marsh, Sunday.

Mrs. Hubert Martin, of Lynchburg, is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ranson.

Mr. Holmesy Inge is improving very much, we are glad to state.

Mr. Jean Richardson is sick. Mr. Charlie Ranson was in Lynchburg, Sunday.

Mr. Elbert Dinkins and Otis Ranson spent the week end here.

There will be a play at Rocks school house on Friday night, March 14. Title of the play, "When They Build the D. and R. G.". Admission 15 and 25c. Come one and all and join in the fun.

STONEWALL NEWS

Miss Lucelle Akers of Gladstone, was the week end guest of Miss Ethel Alvis.

Sears Taylor and John D. Taylor, Jr., of Richmond, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Taylor, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. W. H. Drinkard visited her sister, Mrs. T. A. Drinkard who has been quite ill, but improving, Saturday, in Lynchburg.

Rev. Honts, of Richmond College will preach at Hebron Sunday, 2:30 p. m.

Captain Loreno Simmons Winslow and bride, who were married in Washington Wednesday, are expected to be the guests of Mrs. Winslow's sister, Mrs. B. L. Hamilton, this week end, en route to their home in Greensboro, N. C.

Mrs. J. T. Whitten was called to Washington, today, by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Laura Daniels. Mrs. Daniels is quite ill with pneumonia and her mother is still with her.

Miss Bessie Holt, of Phenix, is the house guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Anderson.

Mr and Mrs. Ashby Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stratton of Lynchburg, were Sunday night supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Anderson. Other guests in the home were Preacher and Ronald Bell.

Miss Bessie Holt, Mr. and Mrs. Dunkley Gunter and Jno. Blankenship were in Lynchburg Tuesday night attending the pictures.

Don't try to understand some people—it is useless.

WARSHIPS FAILURE AS POWER PLANTS

Test at Tacoma Is Declared Unsuccessful.

Washington.—A new peace-time use for warships and other fighting navy craft, their utilization as power plants for seaboard cities in emergencies, has been tested by the navy and found impracticable.

When the airplane carrier Lexington, largest ship in the navy, was lent to Tacoma, Wash., as a power plant, because of a breakdown of the municipal unit, some far-sighted persons had visions of warships steaming up to city piers and furnishing cheap electricity.

"Nothing doing," is the unanimous opinion of naval experts. Navy ships are primarily for national defense and not public utilities, it was pointed out.

Plan Uneconomical.

The generation of electric power for municipalities by navy ships is both impracticable and uneconomical. The Lexington had more than 2,000 officers and men aboard while she was docked at Tacoma, to whom the government pays a salary and furnishes subsistence costing more than $1,000,000 a year. Navy officials estimated that a steam power plant for the city could be operated by fewer than 100 employees.

In return for the power Tacoma is to pay the navy about $5,000 a day, or 2.8 cents per kilowatt hour.

Officers pointed out that, except for great emergencies, the navy has no authority to lend vessels to municipalities, but that the department has authority to lend ships to states for sea scout work and naval militia operations.

"We considered every phase of the situation before the Lexington was lent to Tacoma," one high official said. "It was even pointed out that if the power break had been in the Mississippi valley, where a ship was unable to operate, the people would have used candles and lamps.

"Finally the ship was lent, and now we are waiting for howls from congress against use of a great ship like the Lexington for a power plant, because of the expense."

Dockage Facilities Scarce.

The Lexington did not furnish its full power possibilities to Tacoma, for the vessel's great turbine engines generate more than 192,000 horse power, or enough electricity to supply a city as large as Philadelphia.

Another drawback to using war craft for power plants is the fact the Lexington is 888 feet long, 106 feet wide, and draws 29 feet of water. Few ports have dockage facilities for this ship or even a warship like the West Virginia, which is 624 feet long, 97 feet wide, and draws 31 feet of water.

The Lexington left Tacoma on January 16, after furnishing power to the city for ten days because there was insufficient water available there to operate the city plant and the available steam plant facilities were inadequate.

Britain Builds Bulk of World's Shipping

London.—British now builds more than half the world's ships. She has almost recovered her pre-war position, after ten years of acute depression, according to well-informed shipping quarters.

The famous War years are already a fading memory. As in 1914, when British construction was 60 per cent of the world's output, British shipyards are not yet back to pre-war records, but the Clyde is building almost as much as Japan, Germany and Holland put together, and the Northeast coast is building more than Spain, Sweden, Denmark, the United States and Japan combined.

"The past year has been one of the best since the post-war depression," said a member of a leading firm of Clyde shipbuilders in an interview.

"When final figures for the year become available it probably will be revealed that tonnage launched and under construction in 1929 amounted to 1,900,000. The figures to hand so far show that for the first year since the war, the tonnage we have constructed as an industry for overseas customers has exceeded pre-war totals.

"The shipbuilding industries of Germany, France, Italy and Denmark have declined tremendously. Foreign shipowners have been turned steadily to British yards for their new ships. This last year they gave twice the orders given in 1928."

Soviet Women Give Up Jewels to Aid Country

Moscow.—Women in a number of Soviet cities are responding to the volunteer giving up their jewels towards a fund to assist the industrialization of the country.

A movement for the collection of jewels started in Ivanovo-Kusnk and the idea spread to other cities. Bracelets, rings, necklaces and other items were contributed by housewives and office workers in Ribinsk.

The press is especially pleased to find among the contributed items jewel encrusted crosses. The sacrifices of these crosses serve at the same time the anti-religious and the industrialization drives.

Boy's Dog Held Immune

Little Rock, Ark.—"You can't part the kid from his pup," Attorney General Hal Norwood said in declaring the state dog tax unconstitutional. Scores of boys wrote him letters of thanks.

The General Assembly of Virginia has adjourned.

LIGHTS of NEW YORK

By GRANT DIXON

Be It Never So Humble

You know the old saying about what half of the world doesn't know about each other half. For better understanding, then, let's look into how a few millionaires live.

Mr. E. F. Hutton's little flat is a mere triplex. According to report, neither Mr. Hutton, the chief housekeeper nor the architect knows exactly how many rooms there are, but the estimate is 65. The rent is reported to be $75,000 a year.

Arthur Brisbane's triplex apartment was to have had 63 rooms, but Mr. Brisbane wanted larger chambers. So there are only 40. The living room is two stories high, 60 feet long, and has a log burning fireplace in either end.

One of the new buildings going up is a large affair of fourteen stories—yet it will contain only seven apartments. But what apartments! Many of the new developments along the East river feature private yacht basins, gymnasiums and swimming pools. J. H. Carpenter has one with gold doorknobs.

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Sky Dwellers

And, speaking of buildings, it might be interesting to inquire into what persons or establishments occupy the top floors of some of the skyscrapers.

In the early days of the skyscrapers, when thirteen stories was a dizzying height, people had their doubts about occupying space so lofty. When the city's first skyscraper, the thirteen story Tower building, was built more than a generation ago, the owner feared that no one could be persuaded to rent the upper floors. In order to reassure people, Bradford Lee Gilbert, the architect, took the thirteenth floor for his own offices.

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Aerial Campus

Coming to modern times, we find that the campus of New York university is on the fortieth floor of the Woolworth building. The topmost three floors of the Chrysler building—the sixty-sixth, seventh and eighth, will be occupied by the Cloud club, an exclusive restaurant. A twenty-one story lease has been signed, the total rental being more than $4,000,000.

Across Forty-second street, and slightly lower, is the tea room on the Philadelphia and Pennsylvania Co. Chanin building. There is an outdoor promenade around this floor. Two or three floors below is the Lexington, the highest in the world.

The fifty-third floor of the Lincoln building, near Grand Central, is three stories high, and was designed to be a gymnasium. It may, however, be converted to other uses. At the fifteenth level of the skyscraper at 1 Wall Street is a lounge for tired bankers.

And the rent, so high up? It is almost four times the rent on lower floors.

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Twins, Triplets and Some Quadruplets

New Haven.—It's no real thrill to Michael Salino to be told he's the proud father once again. His wife, almost recovered from the excitement of bringing into the world twins to him twins. In some families that's news, but not in the Salino family, for she is the Salino birth clerk.

1912—Married; 1914—Carmel (died); 1915—Vincent; 1916—Philip and Mary (twins); 1917—Tony; 1919—Anna; 1920—Tony; 1922—Michael, Sally, James and Angelina (quadruplets); 1923—Peter; 1924—James, Helen and Augelina (triplets); 1925—William; 1930—Twins (unnamed as yet).

Of the eighteen children, nine are living. There have been two sets of twins, a set of triplets and a set of quadruplets, of the quadruplets, all are dead except the boy, Michael.

The triplets died soon after birth. Of the first set of twins, Mary died when she was thirteen months old.

Dancing Bear Exhibitions in Bavaria to Be Barred

Munich.—Bavaria's dancing bears, once commonly exhibited along the mountain highways by itinerant gypsies, are to be abolished altogether, the state government believing that the exhibitions are often connected with cruel treatment of the animals.

Roman Coins Found

Sofia.—In the Bulgarian village of Dewnja two brothers, Todorow, while digging in their vineyard, discovered several pounds of gold and silver coins which date from Roman times.

Novice's Gold Strike Lures Prospectors

Wickenburg, Ariz.—Jack's Gardner, building contractor, who turned to prospecting and made a gold strike in the desert after the recent stock market crash took all his money, recently had become a Pied Piper with a pick.

Business men, clerks, school teachers, tourists and laborers, were following Jack's trail into the newly discovered diggings located within two miles of the old Vulture mine, which a few years ago was a bonanza.

Gardner's pick uncovered gold ore which was said to assay $100,000 a ton.

Job Work A Specialty

We Owe Them a DUTY.

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Ernest Williams, Vice-Pres J. L. Nicholas, Assistant Cash'r

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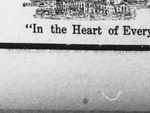

"In the Heart of Everything"

-VIRGINIAN

AY, MCH. 6, 1930

INAL MENTION

W. Burkey and son, ve returned from a trip to Richmond.

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d Mrs. E. M. Schau-Crewe, and Mr. R. E. Sr., and Misses d Janie Caldwell, all to Roanoke and were the homes of Mr. and D. Mcray and Mr. and D. Marshall. They is Janie there to be for treatment.

V. M. Thompson and R. Harwood were the f Mr. R. E. Caldwell, day. It was Mr. Caldth birthday. On Sunsee homes in Roanoke, . D. Marshall had a Virginia dinner in honbirthday. Five of his s and three sons-in his grandson, who is for him were present. him many more happdays.

W. D. Browning, r, Elizabeth, son Dan his girl friend, of Richere all recent guests in the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Caldwell, Sr.

L. B. Pittman, of Richmond, spent last week end in the home of W. P. Gills.

Mrs. L. S. Harvey, of Campbell, who has been on a visit to her daughter for the past six weeks, has been sick, but is much better at this writing.

Rev. and Mrs. D. P. Rogers of Amelia, visited the latter's mother last week in the home of Mrs. D. E. Caldwell. Mr. C. Harvey of Curdsville, and Mr. J. W. Harvey, of Lynchburg, were also visitors in this home.

Mrs. D. E. Caldwell, Jr. spent last week in Richmond.

Miss Josephine Carr is Gladys, who has been nursing Mrs. L. B. Harvey for the past week, returned to her home for the week end.

OTTO RODE

Otto Rode, of Campbell county, died at his home, Oxford Furnace, Tuesday at noon. Mr. Rode had been in failing health for nearly a year. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Sallie Goggin, Rustburg, and by two children, Sara Elizabeth and David. He leaves also the following sisters: Misses Annie Mae Charlotte Rode, Mrs. William Schaefer and Mrs. J. Wyatt Davis.

Deceased was an employee of the State Highway Department and lived here for some time. The sympathy of friends of the family go out to Mrs. Rode and children in their bereavement.

MRS. W. H. WILLIAMSON

Mrs. Lennie Williamson, 81 years of age, wife of W. H. Williamson, died Sunday night at the home of her son near here. Mrs. Williamson is survived by her husband and two sons, Harry and William. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. Thompson and burial was made at old Hermitage church cemetery.

MRS. ILA BLACKWELL

Mrs. Blackwell, the wife of J. W. Blackwell, died at her home in Lynchburg, early this morning, in the 48th year of her age. She is survived by her husband and several children.

The remains will be brought here for interment in Liberty Cemetery at 3 p. m., Friday.

JOHN SHEARER

News of the death of this popular gentleman at his home in Rocky Mount, Va., on last Sunday was received here a few days ago. John was a son of the late Newton Shearer, of this county and had a host of friends here who will regret to hear of his death. He was buried here and was a justice of the peace, editor of the Southside Virginian and deputy treasurer.

His remains were interred at his late home in Rocky Mount. He is survived by his widow and several children.

PREACH THE WORD

Never a day passes but the church in some way, through some of its representatives, preaches the gospel to thousands of people. Think what this means to guilty and despairing people. Think what it means to the tempted and the weak, the disheartened and the discouraged, the troubled and sorrowful. Think what it means as an inspiration to high and noble endeavor. Think what it means out in the home, the school, the shop, the store, the bank, the factory, on the farm and in all the spheres of human relationships and human activities—and go to church next Sunday. Our village churches and those far out in the countryside bid you welcome.

W. M. THOMPSON.

OUR COLORED FOLK

Mrs. Delphia Cheatham, a highly respected colored woman, 65 years of age, died at her home in Lynchburg, Feb. 22. She was reared near Tower Hill.

Anderson Johnson is out again after a sick spell.

Mote T. Haskins is much better.

Mry C. Beasley is much improved after a hard spell of flu.

Martha Pankey is sick.

Farmers are plowing and getting plant beds ready for planting time.

George Davison and wife, we are glad to say are much better. These two old people were both sick at the same time.

LOST

Pocket book containing money and certificate of deposit on Farmers National Bank, Appomattox, Va. for $80. The public is warned not to cash said certificate. Reward of $25 will be paid for return to this office and no questions asked.

T. R. DEANER.

TRUSTEE SALE

...sonal property of Charles C. Cawthorn, Bankrupt.

...suant to authority vested in me by United States Court of Western District of Virginia, I will sell at public auction on Charles S. Cawthorn's home place on Appomattox river, in Appomattox County, Virginia, at 1 o'clock P. M. Saturday, March 15, 1930, personal property consisting of farming machinery and tools of various kinds, also lot of household goods.

Terms: Cash.

J. E. DINWIDDIE, Trustee.

LIGHTS of NEW YORK

By GRANT DIXON

Serve Test

One more towering hotel is nearing completion in the neighborhood of Pennsylvania station, and the work of training the staff has begun. At the moment telephone operators are being chosen. An applicant is asked if she is courteous at all times, and if it appears that she is, she gets preliminary employment. Then a professional annoyer [illegible] to work.

For days he sits at the operator, calling from [illegible] rooms and making absurd and ill-mannered demands. He will ask for Circle 5920, get his connection, and then angrily flash the hotel operator, "Having a good time talking to the boy friend?" he will roar, "Why don't you keep your wire on your job? I told you to get me Circle 5920."

If the operator replies, "You did not. You asked for Circle 5920," she is discharged. But if she's meek and pleasant, she keeps her job.

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Kaw College

New York will soon dedicate the only college of its kind in the world —a police college. Not only the sciences, but also the arts, will be taught in criminal catchers. Fifty men, from universities as well as the police ranks, will form the faculty. The theory method, long the pet of writers of detective fiction, will not be taught. Instead, detectives will be instructed in correlating known facts. One wag insists that the students will be taught cognito. New York, by the way, was the first city in the country to organize a real police force, having organized a day force in 1825.

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Kitchen Aid

The traffic control lights, up to now utterly useless except as a source of annoyance to pedestrians and motorists, have at last been put to practical employment. A certain housewife who, although she lives on Park avenue, gets her husband's breakfast in the morning, has discovered that the lights are perfect for timing the eggs. Two green and two red flashes add up to just the right time to make hubby's eggs medium soft boiled.

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Uskind

One of the kindest of all theatrical criticisms that have come to my knowledge is an opinion of a certain actress's ability that was written by a man who is now, fortunately or unfortunately out of the profession. The actress was playing in a drama which involved the theft of a pearl necklace. "They spent three acts looking for the pearls," he wrote, "and from the way Miss Blank acted, I suspected all along that they were hidden in her mouth."

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

Center of Stage in Capital Held by Prohibition Enforcement.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

PROHIBITION was again the dominant topic in Washington, displacing the tariff and the naval conference in London. Somewhat hurried by political pressure, the Wickersham crime commission made a preliminary report and in submitting it to congress President Hoover made recommendations for legislation designed to facilitate enforcement of the dry laws. Then the fireworks started.

The commission's report was thus neatly summarized by the Boston Herald:

"In effect Chairman Wickersham and his associates say: 'Whether the Eighteenth amendment and the Volstead act are wise legislation or not, we do not choose to say. The law is here. Conditions in the courts and elsewhere are such that enforcement under ideal conditions has not been responsible. Set up some new machinery for enforcement, try it a while and ultimately we may have something to say on prohibition as prohibition. We defer judgment meanwhile.'"

The four major recommendations made by the commission were:

Unification of enforcement under the Department of Justice.

Machinery for speeding up prohibition cases in the federal court.

Codification of all statutes relating to prohibition.

Amendment of Volstead act to facilitate prosecution of padlock injunctions.

Here is what President Hoover asked of congress:

Reorganization of the federal court structure so as to give relief from congestion.

Consolidation of the various agencies engaged in prevention of smuggling of liquor, narcotics, other merchandise and aliens over our frontiers.

Provision of adequate prisons and reorganization of parole and other practices.

Specific legislation for the District of Columbia.

Legislation to give United States court commissioners enlarged powers in minor criminal cases.

Transfer of prohibition machinery from Treasury department to the Department of Justice.

IN THE house these recommendations were referred to the several committees especially concerned, and there was an apparent disposition to push the administration measures through in quick time; but it was thought they would encounter much opposition in the senate. The constitutional lawyers in both houses were prepared to fight especially the commission's plan to permit United States commissioners to handle petty prohibition cases on the ground that it deprived citizens of their constitutional right of trial by jury. Mr. Wickersham explained that this was a misapprehension, the plan merely assuring the defendant a speedy trial with the right to appeal to another court in which he would be tried by a jury.

The wets in the house organized for the coming battles by electing J. Charles Linthicum of Maryland leader of the bloc. Previously Representative James M. Beck of Pennsylvania had introduced a joint resolution, which while he opposed the prohibition law, he believed it to be "the manifest duty of the administration to enforce it."

Representative Lo Guardia of New York made a surprise attack on the drys when he raised a point of order on the prohibition provisions of the pending Treasury department appropriation bill and offered a resolution to declare the Eighteenth amendment inoperative. La Guardia set forth the proposition that only ten of the state legislatures ratified the Eighteenth amendment within seven years, as required by its third section. The others, he said, ratified merely the joint resolution, which later became the constitutional article. Hence, he argued, the amendment and its enforcement legislation automatically died three years ago.

ALL this hullabaloo coincided with the tenth anniversary of the advent of national prohibition, and at the same time the Anti-Saloon league opened its twenty-fourth annual convention in Detroit. The leaders of the organization announced plans for raising a "war chest" of $50,000,000 for use during the next ten years and said they were determined to rout utterly the organized forces that seek repeal or modification of the Eighteenth amendment and the Volstead act. General Superintendent F. Scott McBride in his address assuming a rather remarkable knowledge of the Creator's ideas, declared "The league was born of God. It has been led by Him and will fight on while He leads."

Dr. A. J. Barton, chairman of the executive committee, said: "The Anti-Saloon league is the most hated and feared organization in America. The wets are more and more amazed at the strength of our organization. In a playing and patronizing way they announce that we are dead or at least moribund. The wish is father to the thought; they know that we are very much alive."

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In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the County of Appomattox on the 17th day of February 1930.

Laura O. Johnson, who sues by A. W. Almond her next friend, Plaintiff,
against.
Bennie H. Johnson, Defendant.

The object of this suit is to obtain by the plaintiff from the defendant, a divorce, a mensa et thoro, on the grounds of desertion.

And an affidavit having been made and filed that the whereabouts of the defendant Bennie H. Johnson, is unknown, it is ordered that he do appear within fifteen days after due publication hereof, and do what may be necessary to protect his interests in this suit. And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published once a week for four successive weeks in the Times-Virginian, a newspaper published in the County of Appomattox, that a copy be posted at the front door of the Court House of this county on or before the 3rd day of March, 1930, that being the first next succeeding Rule day after this order was entered, and that the Clerk mail a copy hereof to each of the said defendants to the post-office address given in the affidavit herein, and file a certificate of the fact in the papers of this case.

A Copy—Teste:
C. W. SMITH, Clerk.
J. W. FLOOD, p. q.
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All that piece or parcel of land situated in Appomattox County Virginia, and bounded as follows:

Beginning at a point on the center line of Route 306 from 1.104 Mi. South of Vera to Int. Route 10 at Appomattox, shown on plans as Sta. 0-70.8 being the point of encroachment and the intersection with Route 10; thence to the right on a 25 deg. curve, a distance of 198.2 feet to Sta. 1x72.4; thence N. 2 deg. 50' E. a distance of 120.8 feet to Sta. 2x48.2; thence to the right on a 13 deg 30' curve, a distance of 151.8 feet to the lands of Adolphus Watson, being Sta. 4x00.

The land herein to be acquired being a strip or parcel 25 feet in width and lying on the 5ast right side of and adjacent to the herein above described centerline and containing 0.26 acre, more or less, 0.10 acre of which being included in the present right of way, leaving 0.16 acre, more or less, herein to be acquired.

A blue print showing the cuts and fills and description of the said property has been filed in the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of Appomattox in accordance with the statute in such cases made and provided.

H. G. SHIRLEY, State Highway Commissioner of Virginia.
By JOEL W. FLOOD, Agent and Attorney.
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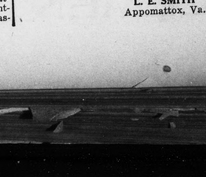

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